



PATENT
8014-1002

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Junji TANAKA

Conf. 2907

Application No. 10/045,038

Group 2655

Filed January 15, 2002

Examiner G. Patel

PRE-PIT DETECTING APPARATUS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 25, 2005

Sir:

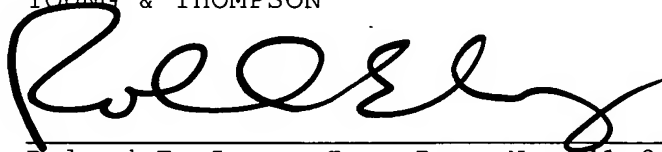
The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of August 26, 2004 for three months to February 26, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1,020 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

YOUNG & THOMPSON



Roland E. Long, Jr., Reg. No. 41,949
745 South 23rd Street
Arlington, VA 22202
Telephone (703) 521-2297
Telefax (703) 685-0573
(703) 979-4709

REL/lk

03/01/2005 MBEYENE1 00000017 250120 10045038

01 FC:1253 1020.00 DA